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Melt-Flowable Materials and Method of Sealing Surfaces

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Communication to Examiner in Response to Notice of Abandonment

Dear Sir:

This paper is in response to the Notice of Abandonment mailed July 2, 2002, in which the Examiner asserts Applicant did not respond to the Office Action dated August 1, 2001.

Applicant did indeed file a Response (with a two-month Extension of Time) on January 2, 2002. A copy of the Response, the Request for Extension of Time, and the return post card are attached to this Communication for your reference.

GROUP TOO Kindly rescind the Notice of Abandonment in light of receipt of the Response and

Request for Extension of Time dated January 2, 2002.

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